



State of Rhode Island and Providence Plantations

**GUBERNATORIAL PROCLAMATION**

**Asthma Educator Day**

**WHEREAS**, asthma educators ensure that people affected by asthma have the knowledge and skills for asthma self-management and the tools to increase awareness and advocate for change to reduce the burden of asthma; and

**WHEREAS**, all Rhode Islanders can benefit greatly from the quality education given by asthma educators, and have the ability to seek their own advice on asthma; and

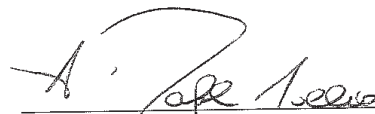
**WHEREAS**, the Rhode Island Association of Certified Asthma Educators is dedicated to helping individuals learn to manage asthma and to live healthy and productive lives: and

**NOW, THEREFORE, I, Lincoln D. Chafee**, Governor of the State of Rhode Island, do hereby proclaim May 3, 2011 as Asthma Educator Day in Rhode Island and encourage all state residents to recognize the importance of this day.



Given under my hand and the great seal of the State of Rhode Island and Providence Plantations, this 3<sup>RD</sup> day of May, 2011

  
Lincoln D. Chafee  
Governor

  
A. Ralph Mollis  
Secretary of State